

REPORT FRENCH WAR CHIEF DEMANDS PETER PROTECTION FOR FRANCE

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France are made over France they come from the Italian.

A new commission has been appointed to deal with the Italian problem.

The suggestion is made that the Italian, including Austria, and a commission with the Balkans and Turkey.

The Italian representatives have notified the committee of the independence of their country in connection with the fact that they will not be permitted to discuss the terms of the Italian armistice.

It is believed that there are no more details involved in the treaty that it may be too long before it is ready for presentation to the American representatives.

German Assembly Takes Up Treaty With People Calling for Rejection

By ALFRED G. ANDERSEN, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Berlin, May 12.—The full assembly of the German assembly was held today to consider the peace treaty. The committee representing the six main political parties held a series of meetings during the day, and Sunday, and with the exception of the Independent Socialists, all of the political parties have agreed that all added resolutions that the treaty was not acceptable and could not be signed.

The division of opinion brought about by the introduction of the treaty to the assembly has led to the belief that the meeting of the National Assembly must be adjourned to a later date.

The independent Socialists have made the outright demand that the Treaty of Versailles be rejected.

The German people's party and the Nationalists have reacted most violently against the deliverance of the treaty. They have demanded that the treaty be rejected.

Prince Liechtenstein, a member of the Reichstag, has also reacted violently against the treaty. He has demanded that the treaty be rejected.

The treaty was signed at Versailles on the 28th of June, 1919. It was the result of the peace conference at Versailles, which was held from January 18, 1919, to January 28, 1920.

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Automatic Bargain BASEMENT

she bought golf balls five times one day

They were "repainted" advertised at the usual Basement savings. Her "boss" read the ad and sent her to purchase a dozen.

Proud of his good "buy" he showed the balls to his business partners. Before the day ended she had walked through five times and bought golf balls.

This example is typical of the many good bargains advertised daily, and of hundreds of others not advertised.

plenty of "repainted" golf balls for 33c

Including the well-known Radio, Colonel, Spalding Honor, Baby Dimple and others.

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Goods must sell quickly or price drops DOWN 1/2 after 12 selling days, 3/4 after 18 selling days, 3/4 after 24 selling days. Goods given away after 30 selling days.

HUNDREDS OF OTHER BARGAIN LOTS

ALLIES MAY "Half Recognize" the Bolsheviks

By SIDNEY DARK, Executive Cable From the London Daily Express to the International News Service.

Paris, May 12.—It is more than probable that Russian Bolshevik peace delegates will be invited to Paris before the end of the present month, according to information from an authoritative source today.

The allies, it is said, may find a way to "half recognize" the Bolshevik regime in Moscow and probably the Turks also.

The international situation is expected to be a masterpiece of diplomacy, recommending to Germany to sign the peace treaty to avert further bloodshed.

President Wilson is reported to be emphatic in his stand that the peace of Europe needs the cooperation of Russia.

AMERICAN AIDS DOUGHBOY TO GET CROSS

Camp Devens, May 12.—Thanks to a story in the Boston Herald published Saturday, a doughboy cited by General Pershing, for whom the military authorities were searching, has been found. He is Private Henry M. Thompson of Company C, 36th Infantry, Tenth Division. He is at the base hospital here, convalescing from wounds received overseas.

The American on Saturday published the statement that a doughboy who served in the American Expeditionary Force in France was missing.

Today he inspected the citation and the distinguished service cross which is to be awarded him later with full military honors. It is planned to have a review on the drill field. According to the citation, he volunteered repeatedly to carry messages through a no-man's-land during an attack on St. Julien, France, last October.

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WILSON PROCLAIMS "BOY SCOUT WEEK"

NEW YORK, May 12.—In a proclamation President Wilson today declared June 1 to June 14, 1919, as "Boy Scout Week" for the purpose of honoring the Boy Scouts of America.

TWO WOUND STRIPED ENGINEER RE-ENLISTS

Honolulu, May 12.—William H. Morris, a hero of the World War, and a member of the United States Engineers, 25th Division, after staying three months at his home here, enlisted in the cavalry and left Honolulu for Fort Slocum, New York, where he will report for duty.

Mr. Morris was wounded in the leg and was later gassed.

children's play shoes 95c

Study extorts made of the same leather that goes into army shoes. Full sizes 6 to 12.

women's serpentine kimonos, in sizes 36 to 44, at \$1.75

plenty of new voile waists for 89c

Plain or self-trimmed voiles, embroidered or lace-trimmed, in sizes 36 to 44.

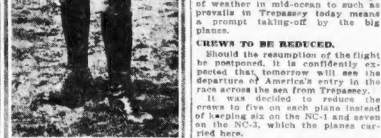
U.S. CATTLESHIP GEORGIA BRINGS 1,400 MEN

Nearly 1,400 fighting Middle West Army Artillerymen have been taken to America today aboard the United States battleship Georgia, and were debarked at Commonwealth Pier. They were en route from the 12th Field Artillery, 25th Division.

Wounded the Westerners, mostly from Wisconsin, were a number of army and navy cadets among them. The Massachusetts and one Massachusetts Artillery were also on board. Captain Kendall Winslow of the 12th Field Artillery, 25th Division, was in command of the late Governor Draper of Massachusetts. Randall H. Barry, a Bostonian, was also on board.

Captain Perry is a regular army man and was a member of the 12th Field Artillery, 25th Division. He was met at Commonwealth Pier by his sister, Mrs. Thomas H. Perry, and Mr. Garrison. Captain Winslow was met by his father and mother. He was en route from the 12th Field Artillery, 25th Division.

LEUTENANT RICHARD L. SEARS, Boston American camera star, who is shooting pictures for Uncle Sam in France. This photograph was taken recently at Le Mans.



'Dick' Sears Assigned Giant Locomotive As Camera Stand

"One large locomotive for Lieutenant Sears."

Something like that was the thought of Mr. Sears, the big French war correspondent, when he was assigned to the "Dick" Sears—everybody in New England knows "Dick" Sears—arrived at "Dick" Sears' headquarters in the city of the Liberty bells.

But what pleased Commander Sears was the fact that the locomotive was assigned to him. He was assigned to the "Dick" Sears—everybody in New England knows "Dick" Sears—arrived at "Dick" Sears' headquarters in the city of the Liberty bells.

TRUCK AND STREET CAR COLLIDE ON COURT STREET

A number of persons were shaken up and one man slightly injured when an auto truck crashed into a street car on Court street today. The truck, owned by Edward E. Grant of No. 27 Belmont street, and driven by James H. Powers of No. 212 Court street, was heading in the same direction as the car when the accident took place. It is believed a broken steering gear was responsible.

New Inventions Simplify Navigation for U. S. Planes

In Transatlantic Flight

Washington, May 12.—The transatlantic flight of the naval seaplane, the Albatross, will be aided by newly-invented instruments which will enable the pilot to navigate the machine more easily. This information was made public by the Navy department last night.

The special inventions are an aerial sextant designed by Commander R. B. Byrd, a drift and speed indicator, and a course and distance indicator.

ARREST 6 SUSPECTS IN WATCH MOVEMENT THEFT

Theft of 240 watch movements valued at \$240 resulted in the appearance of Daniel J. Hyde, forty-three, and John J. Bell, 25, in the Boston Court today. Hyde lives on Summer street and Bell on Everett street in East Boston. Both pleaded not guilty and were held in \$500 each for a hearing one week hence. The property was stolen from the Concord Steamship Company's watch store in the city.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR JAZZ KING IN NEW YORK

New York, May 12.—Funeral services for jazz king, Louis Armstrong, were held today at the funeral home of the late Armstrong, who was killed by a gunshot wound in Boston Friday night. The funeral services were held at the funeral home of the late Armstrong, who was killed by a gunshot wound in Boston Friday night.

DEAR FOLKS: THE oftener I come in to the workers in the Wilson & Co. organization, the greater is my conviction that Mr. Wilson by gaining their loyalty and confidence has created the greatest asset that his business possesses.

Let me tell you how the workers plan to make the work of Mr. Wilson and that of his associates in the official family easier, and to leave them free to handle the big problems which come before them every working day.

Every member of the committee receives from his or her associates suggestions that bear on improving conditions in the plant, and when in committee meetings, which are held frequently, these suggestions are discussed frankly, and if by majority vote it is decided to make recommendations to the Official Family, it is done, there being present at all meetings a very able woman secretary who transcribes, in concrete form, the recommendations made.

Here is a case of workers selecting men and women from their own ranks to represent them in all important matters of their interests—and the members of the Committee of 32 have the complete confidence of their associates. However the Committee's suggestions are always satisfactory to the workers in all departments.

It was privileged to be present at one of the meetings of the Committee of 32. I heard both men and women stand on their feet and talk straight from the shoulder. There was no misunderstanding what they said. They knew what they wanted to say and they said it. They voted to make some recommendations to the officials.

Then they invited me to talk to them, which I did. I tried to do it because I believe thoroughly in the idea that all problems and difficulties should be solved by the workers themselves if they will honestly and sincerely cooperate with their management. I said this frankly to the heads of the business.

After I had finished talking, the Committee of 32, by unanimous vote, elected me to the position of Secretary. I was elected in honor that I prize very highly.

What is the result of this, so far as the business of Wilson & Co. is concerned?

The first result—and the most important of all—is that the Committee of 32 has maintained the splendid relationship between the workers and the officials. Mutual confidence and respect prevail continuously.

The second result—also very important—is that the speedy adoption by the officials of the recommendations made by the Committee of 32, puts the members on their honor and they make only such recommendations as are important. Trivial matters never come to a majority vote in the Committee meetings.

The third result—also very important—is that the members of the Committee of 32 are more often concerned about making recommendations designed to benefit the business as a whole than they are about having something done to benefit themselves.

The Committee has brought about a condition of affairs which makes contentment on the part of its associate workers and this, of course, makes them more efficient in their work to serve the company honestly.

At the Committee meeting I attended one man had a good deal to say about the splendid work of the men in the Ham and Rye departments—telling his associate members of their pride in producing Certified Wilson Brands, and suggesting that every worker in every department should be made a member of personal honor to assist in the preparation of food products for the army. Always justify the use of the slogan, "The Wilson Label Protects Your Table."

A woman, representing the Canned Goods department, informed the Ham and Bacon men that he and his associate workers were no longer content with their achievement in producing Certified Wilson Brands than she and her associate workers were producing Certified Brands of Canned Meats, Cereals, Fruits, Table Delicacies, etc.

So it goes. Workers are kept up in every department to produce the finest and purest Food Products and make it proud of the Wilson & Co. slogan "The Wilson Label Protects Your Table." As Mr. Wilson is sure that means being some product.

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"THIRD DEGREE" TO FORGE LAST LINK AROUND BARRE STRANGLER

GRILL PAL OF SLAIN WOMAN

**Police Hasten End of Broadwell
Case Under 'Lash of
Pastor's Sermon'**

Barre, Vt., May 12.—A dramatic scene will be enacted in a little room on the third floor of a hotel in this city today as the ante-climax to the arrest of the strangler of Mrs. Harry E. Broadwell, whose naked body was left by the murderer in the Wheelock garden fronting Main street a week ago yesterday morning.

the young mother was strangled and there the first arrest of the baffling case will probably be made. For this room the witness who is suspected of a full knowledge of the crime and under the psychological reaction of the exhibit of the case. It is expected that he will reveal the identity of the stranger. preliminary to the arrest of the murderer, an open secret in Kairo. Early this morning a party of the private detectives working on the case and with them the principal of the denouement that is to be staged in the hotel. Hearing the grilling of the various witnesses during the night, the case will be conducted in the room on the third floor instead of in the office of the Attorney General in KASSOVA.

Whether the mysterious Grace Grimes of the case, or her mother, A. C. Coddling, will feature in today's expected developments was not disclosed. It was known, however, that the woman, who was an intimate of the murdered mother and a close friend of the man from whom she was charged with the evidence necessary to clinch this case would arrive with the party from Boston. This was a very important relation to the arrest of the stranger, who was kept a secret.

Quickening the activities of the police toward a speedy wind-up of the case, was the fact that the investigation of "the wild leavings of Harriet" and the "vicious resorts and habits" of the woman, who was directly connected with the crime, by the Rev. John B. Hordan, Congregational minister of the First church of the city, from his pulpit Sunday. The Rev. Hordan's arraignment of the woman, who was charged with the crime, was a very alluring one to the clergymen in their Sunday ser-

SEEN HERE SATURDAY.
The suspect most sought after has not been in Barre for at least a year prior to Saturday, May 3. On that day he rode up Main street in an automobile. After that time and following the murder he disappeared. That he was friendly with Mrs. Broadwell at his residence here is known fact. Furthermore it is said that following his going to Boston to work and live he held frequent long distance telephone conversations with Mrs. Broadwell.

It developed this morning that Mrs. Broadwell had been planning a trip to Boston this Summer for the purpose of visiting her mother and brother, Mr. Codding. Just where they lived in Boston or vicinity is not known to Harry E. Broadwell, husband of the murdered woman. Mrs. Broadwell, however, is

communicated with one another quite often since the former went to Boston to live. A most peculiar feature of one of these communications came to light today when her husband showed a postal which his dead wife had received through the mails from Mrs. Grimes.

The cancellation stamp on this postal had been scratched over with indelible ink so that it is impossible for one to tell just exactly what postal station in Boston or vicinity it was mailed at. It was apparently not in Boston, but probably in Lynn. That end of the case is being closely

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"Proved Safe
"Bayer Cross"
on Tablets.

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Warning!
Don't buy Aspirin
in a pill box! Always
insist upon the genuine
"Bayer Package" which con-
tains proper dosage. Look
for the Safety "Bayer Cross" on p...

Major Says Gauze in Ears Will Prevent Seasickness

What he believes is an abscess for seasickness was announced yesterday by Major A. E. Lemon, surgeon-of the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth United States Infantry, now stationed at Camp Miller.

Major Lemon says he has relieved most violent attacks of seasickness by packing the ears of the victim with sterilized caustic. He maintains that the ear is the most sensitive organ of equilibrium within the ear, and that the stomach is the least sensitive. He understands Here is his explanation:

"The counter pressure is the cause of the seasickness. A person who is subjected to a period of intermittent air pressure and relief is had at once. A person who is subjected to a period of two inches square and pack it firmly in the ear passage, but not in the ear canal."

Major Lemon has been recommended to remain in the service a year longer to develop the

LAWYER; OUT OF PRISON CAMP, ENLISTS

**United States Army as
Private**

After serving three years and four months in a German prison, Edward H. James of Concord enlisted today as a private in the American army. He was graduate from Harvard in 1895 and practiced law in Seattle and other places until he became interested in the war.

"I went to Germany during the war and I saw the difference between democracy and what American democracy meant," he replied today. "I saw the difference between the leaders at army headquarters. I got to see the difference between what they would get into trouble by my saying."

"Ambassador Gerani had no men to go to Holland, as he feared more serious international complications if he went to the government, but I did not like it in Holland, so, through Dutch smugglers, I got to see the difference between the men in Berlin."

For my advocacy of democracy, I was thrown into a prison, and I was in prison and there I remained during the war and until the armistice was signed. I was in prison because I was a man because I believe that every man wants to serve America in some way, and I believe that every American means more to me than any other country on the face of the earth."

He traveled a good deal and knows something about different countries and I believe that a man best knows his own country.

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COL. BLANCHARD
HOME WITH WAR
SERVICE CROSS

Boston Banker, Although Gassed, Insisted on Leading His Men

The transport *Wilhelmina*, formerly of the Hamburg-American line, was towed to the Charlestown Navy Yard and placed in drydock. A gang of men was set to work on the ship at once to make repairs, as she is without a rudder.

PRETTIEST BACK BAY MODEL IN SECRET WEDDING

The world war has been invited to visit the Hay State during his stay in the United States by Governor Hodge, according to an announcement by the Governor's secretary, Henry F. Long.

FORMER CROWN PRINCE TRIED TO KILL SELF

Also Attempted Life of One of Sweethearts Following Reve- lation by Fortune Teller

WAR TIME PLEDGE
Lowell, May 12.—Fully 1,000 persons attended an enthusiastic meeting held to arouse interest in the drive for Lowell's \$10,000 quota of the Irish Victory Fund.
Resolutions calling upon President Wilson to keep his war-time pledges, were unanimously passed by the audience.

Negro Boxer Enjoys Bath in Former Kaiser's Tub

SOCIETY FOLK 'PAGAN' DANCE DENOUNCED

Charity Mocked. Says Pastor New York Must "Pay the Piper"

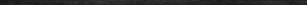
to meet the extraordinary
and for Nemo Corsets and
Corsets with complete stocks.
Nemo Corsets \$3.00 to \$13.50
Trasierres \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00

WIFE'S 'DOT' CUT
FROM \$375 TO
\$20 A WEEK

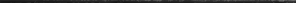
**Man Seeking Divorce,
Reduces Allowance**



Boxes of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24—Bottles of 100—Also Capsules.
Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monmouth, New Jersey



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C. A. ruede.



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Nemo Brasieres \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00

DEMAND IS GROWING FOR NEW BUILDING ENTERPRISE

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The war is over. The quicker the return to pre-war conditions and the quicker a readjustment of business the better for the general public, for the capitalist, the business man, the educated person and the wage-earner.

This applies particularly to our soldiers, back from the war and in terrific struggle, our heroes who and need the regularity of normal civilian life, steady work, fixed costs and opportunity to plan for the future.

Idea of bankers, contractors and builders through the war crisis has been this:

"We cannot build now. Everything is too high, wages, labor and so on. It is impossible to figure out the cost of building materials will not change figures, not for any length of time, at least. We cannot take the chance. We must wait until conditions are stabilized."

INDUBITABLY BY GOVERNOR.

But there is another side to the question.

"It surely is not the time to wait!"

Who says so?

None the less that Governor Calvin Coolidge himself.

The Governor, in a vigorous letter to the Boston American, advances this campaign of the American to stimulate building in Massachusetts. He starts off by saying:

"I am very glad indeed to see that you are taking up the movement to stimulate building in the Commonwealth. I believe it is for the best interest of the community that the building trade should be re-established, and that building operations should start at once."

Notice these last two words: "at once."

The Governor concludes his letter thus:

"I sincerely hope the efforts of the Boston American, and all other materials required in construction. This would mean the employment of large numbers of people in various factories manufacturing these materials. Activities once started will set other business activities in motion, and a general prosperity will follow."

That argument appeals to the great body of people. Building contracts mean more work in many lines, more jobs, more pay envelopes.

More pay envelopes mean more money earned, more spent, more saved.

It means more money deposited in the banks, more for the merchants and as the money flows its regular financial circle, more money for the bankers to lend out on building enterprises.

In brief, the time is ripe now and the need is pressing for every person allied with the building industry—banker, contractor, builder and workman—to give the building industry a "self-start."

It's a case of everybody co-operate. Build now!

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Governor Coolidge Praises American's Work to Boom Building

Editor, Boston American: I am very glad indeed to see that you are taking up the movement to stimulate building in the Commonwealth. I believe it is for the best interest of the community that the building trade should be re-established, and that building operations should start at once.

In the matter of building now, the various agencies of government ought to take the lead, and in furtherance of this I have sent a supplementary budget to the Legislature, asking for an appropriation, so that the Commonwealth may point the way. The material resources of the community must be used for the benefit of the people of the community. Such use is the only thing that gives them value and the only warrant for their existence. Unless this is done by private enterprise it will have to be done through the taxing power and otherwise for the purpose of relieving the suffering caused by unemployment.

Every facility is at hand for an era of great prosperity. What is needed is the courage to act. The State exhibiting the courage and taking the lead, private construction it is hoped will follow. Competent builders say that labor costs in the building industry do not vary materially from what they have been for several years.

It surely is not the time to wait. We should resume business activities. If everybody waits there no doubt will be a perpendicular fall with attending want, distress and calamity. If people will go ahead with building there may be a gradual decline, but it can be borne with the least inconvenience.

The contract for any kind of building at once creates the opportunity for other contracts for steel, cement, bricks, lumber, plumbing, steam heating, electrical equipment and all other materials required in construction. This would mean the employment of large numbers of people in various factories manufacturing these materials. Activities once started will set other business activities in motion, and a general prosperity will follow.

I sincerely hope the efforts of the Boston American to encourage rebuilding will be promptly and generously responded to.

Very truly yours,

CALVIN COOLIDGE.

CHELSEA JOINS WAR ON RENT PROFITEERS

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Boston of 1914 be amended by adding thereto the following section:

"Section 3.—Whenever the Board of Assessors receive complaints that any person owning real estate within the city of Boston has unjustly increased the rent thereof, and that such person shall give a hearing to determine whether or not said rent has been unjustly raised, and shall cause notice thereof to be given to the said owner of the said real estate, and to all parties interested."

"If, in the opinion of said board, rent has been unjustly increased, said board shall cause said property to be revalued on the basis of said increased valuation shall be adopted as a basis for taxation in the current year."

Chelsea got into the struggle against profiteering landlords today, and to make it a law right.

Mayor Melvin B. Breath took the same action that Mayor Peters, ordering the assessors to make an investigation, raise valuations where that seemed the only remedy for the present, and report as to the real cause for the situation.

CHELSEA JOINS CHARGE.

"Conditions are very bad in some parts of Chelsea," declared the Mayor today. "I have received a number of complaints, showing that not only have rents been unjustly raised, but tenants have been arbitrarily evicted on short notice."

This has all to stop. In one tenement the rents were increased \$4 for each apartment. We can find no record of improvements on the property, no increase in valuation and no possible excuse for the raise."

Mayor Breath found that certain speculators were buying houses at exorbitant rates from their present owners, then passing on the raise to their tenants. They realize the shortage of tenements and are taking full advantage of it, to the discomfort and financial loss of every rent payer in the city.

THE SAME EVERYWHERE.

Rent increases are no respecter of quality. Whether you live in one of these eight-room and two-bath, war-parlor-in-the-rear apartments that flourish in Brookline, or whether you confine your lares and penates to a modern five-room "flat" in Roxbury, there is the thing that is true. Your rent is going up!

The only difference is that it is probably going up to a greater extent in Roxbury than it is in Brookline, that it is undoubtedly higher in Chelsea Hill than in Somerville, but higher, it is sure to be.

One of the sudden increases reported today was on an apartment in Brookline, in the Chelsea corner section, the a modern apartment of five rooms the increase is just 15 per cent. The block has new apartment, and a proportionate increase was levied on all of the tenants.

NOISE HEARD, BUT NO RETURN.

"There is no excuse for this increase that we can see," said the patron who reported this unheard of raise. "There has not been a drop of paint used here or a nail driven in in the way of repairs for the past two years. We have no janitor service that we did not have before, and no greater facilities than we had before. Yet the increase is three just the same."

"While we figured that we were paying about all that we could afford to pay for what we have here, this extra is simply leveled upon us. And our friends all around us are reporting just the same conditions."

This property, according to the Brookline assessors, is valued at \$12,000, of which \$1,200 is for the land. The house in itself has an estimated value of \$10,000, with the three lower ones at \$15. This, the first place, gives the landlord a yearly rental of over \$4 per cent.

No original investment made. The 15 per cent increase that he is levying is on top of that modest little 4 per cent.

Much the same condition is reported in Somerville. On Warren avenue apartments that have been renting at \$10 have jumped to \$16, while the \$20 apartments have gone up to \$30.

"Come up," said Mrs. Somerville, who reported this case. "I should think they have. But I am not going to pay it. Anyone who can pay \$40 for an apartment can afford to own a house—and I'm going out and buy mine, right now."

Criticism Mayor for

Selling Y. D. Stand

Lumber to Wreckers

Mayor Peters could have started this building campaign off with a rush if he had seen fit to sell the lumber in the Y. D. stand to builders instead of to wreckers, who will

cheer. His criticism of the course taken by the Mayor follows:

"The housing conditions in Dorchester are deplorable, and when I went back into civil life I asked that I be allowed to bid on the lumber in the stands on the Common and elsewhere. I was told wreckers were bidding, which meant that builders would be outside. But wreckers will hold the lumber, and builders would start throwing it into houses for the people of this city."

"In these circumstances I felt justified in telling the Mayor that even a slightly lower bid by builders should be acceptable to the city, as it meant constructive work to relieve a bad situation. I did not want to put on myself alone. I was willing other builders should receive the same terms, and that all builders be put on the same plane, that I did object to the competition of the wreckers."

"I wanted to build thirty houses in Dorchester. The lumber was exactly what I needed, and its purchase might have made the difference between a profitable and unprofitable investment. A building campaign by three or four builders would have encouraged others."

"I got no satisfaction and the stands will be wrecked at a slightly greater temporary profit to the city."

Lieutenant Carroll declared that only some such move, which would stir up all the builders to begin operations, would prove the real remedy.

"Prices of material are not going to be made lower," he said, and that is a fallacy which retards building. Labor is not going to be any cheaper. So the quicker we get

started the quicker living conditions will be improved in this city."

Eighty-Seven Percent

Increase in This Rent:

Assessor Gets Facts

What Chairman Edward T. Kelly of the board of assessors declares to be the most flagrant instance of profiteering yet brought to his notice was revealed in a letter of complaint today from a tenant who declares his rent is to be increased from \$20 to \$27.50 per month. This is an increase of 37 1/2 per cent.

The landlord defends the increase on the ground that his taxes have been raised and he has to pay a higher rate of interest for the use of money. In a letter which was forwarded with the complaint, Chairman Kelly left his office to make a personal investigation.

The increase is to date from May 1, the landlord states in his letter to which he adds: "You know my property has been increased in valuation and the tax rate increased, as well as the difference in my rate interest."

The flat on which this \$7 per cent increase is levied is said to be located in Dorchester.

OFFER PATRIOTIC COLORS IN SPORT STOCKINGS

New York, May 12.—Sport stockings in red, white and blue are the offering for the Summer, on a background of white are embroidered lines of red, blue and blue, with stars in the same colors.

May 12th

Substantial reductions in prices of United States Pneumatic Automobile Casings and Tubes are

Effective Today—

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And to Gray Tubes and Red Tubes.

For full information see your United States sales and service depot dealer.

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With meat so high, and not so good for us anyway, what a boon to have a food so rich, so good, so nutritious and so easily prepared as Heinz Baked Beans!



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LASSIE STAYED WITH ARMY IN ALL DRIVES

Mrs. Springer, Salvation Army Worker, Through Campaign of 1st and 42d Divisions

Bringing back from France another story of heroism such as has immortalized the Salvation Army, Mrs. E. A. Springer, a Salvation Army lassie who served through the Argonne's hell with the First Division, arrived today at the Salvation Army headquarters in Boston.

Pol. "There's not much to tell," she said timidly, when reporters met her at headquarters. "I did only what all the Salvation Army lasses did—tried to carry comfort and cheer to the brave boys who won our war. I tried to take the place of the others they had left behind. Oh! It was worth it. The gratitude of those boys—all my life I shall cherish it."

"I was attached to the First Division—the division's field hospital. Of course I am not a trained nurse. But one did not have to be a nurse. Just a mother who had had children of her own. When the wounded were brought in—and there were hundreds upon hundreds of them during the Argonne drive—I helped the doctors. I nursed them. I washed them. I gave them comfort. I cared for them."

COOKING FOR THE BOYS.
"I went through the drive and at times, when the field hospital was evacuated—the wounded given first aid and taken to the base hospitals in the rear—I would cook for the boys. They would stop a stove for me, perhaps a stove of rocks, wherever we might happen to be, sometimes on the battlefield."

"Then there were times when I served for the boys. For always there were buttermilk, uniform and not by the barrel, were always missing."

"I shared with the division until it was relieved by the 42d. I should have retired with the First—my pass accredited me only to the First. But I knew there were other women back of the line to care for the First, none have me to go on with the 42d."

IN ST. MICHEL DRIVE.
"I was with the 42d when the First came into the front again, relieving the division that had relieved it. I was with the First through other drives—St. Michel, other offensives. After the armistice I went with the Army of Occupation and was stationed at Coblenz. It is from there that I just came."

"Were you under fire much of the time?" a reporter asked.
"Yes," Mrs. Springer replied quietly. "Through the drive, when I was bursting every minute—often at first I was frightened. Then I got used to it."

"Mrs. Springer has come to Boston to speak in the Salvation Army's one-week campaign for \$100,000 in New England, which opens next Monday. Immediately afterward she will leave for India, where she was stationed when the war started."

LEGION'S STAND FOR RUM IS CRITICISED

Washington, May 12.—No patriotic organization will drive acting as a wet nurse in a discredited and out-of-control. This is the assertion today of Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel of the Anti-Saloon League of America, in a statement regarding the national prohibition amendment.

The demand for a referendum, Wheeler holds, is inconsistent because the "water" question in every division of government where it was legal to have it and it gave the people a chance to adopt a wider dry area."

SELL HISTORIC ESTATE OF "SAGE OF CONCORD"

Concord, May 12.—The estate of the late Frank R. Sanborn, the "Sage of Concord," who died not long ago, has been sold. Papers have been passed conveying the property in this town to Gladys E. H. Hosmer.

SOCIETY HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Ames at Their North Easton Home for the Summer Season.



Miss Elizabeth Winthrop Hannah, one of the most prominent Red Cross Workers.

NEW SCHEDULE FOR LAST CARS IN SUBWAY

Stations to Be Kept Open Until 12:30 A. M., Beginning Next Sunday

Superintendent of Transportation Edward Dana announces that, beginning Sunday morning, the subway, elevated and tunnel stations of the Boston Elevated Railway will be kept open until 12:30 a. m., thus operating the service at least one-half hour later than at present.

The last trains or cars will leave the several stations as follows:

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Care will be run from terminals on regular routes connecting with the last trains which will arrive at as follows:

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HARRY THOMAS IS DEAD IN BROOKLINE

Boston Newspaper Man Is a Victim of the Influenza and Pneumonia

Harry C. Thomas, until recently editor of the Merchant, a publication of the United States Shipping Board, and for many years identified with Boston daily newspapers, died at his home, No. 3 Auburn court, Brookline, after a two week's illness.

Mr. Thomas was born at North Weymouth, forty-four years ago, the son of the late B. Frank and Abbie (French) Thomas. He attended the public schools of that town, graduating from the Weymouth High School after which he directed his attention to the newspaper profession, "covering" the South Shore for many years for Boston papers.

He later joined the Boston Globe staff, going afterward to the Boston Herald and for several years was assistant city editor of the Boston American.

About three years ago he resigned his position at the American to accept a position as yacht editor of the Boston Transcript, where he remained for two years, when he came to Boston to work for the Merchant, which he edited for several years.

Mr. Thomas was married to a woman whose name was not known, as they had no children. He was a member of the Yacht Club and the United States Shipping Board.

Mr. Thomas resigned a few weeks ago, to accept a position as Washington secretary of the Chemical and Allied Industries Association, where he was going when he was taken ill.

He is survived by his widow, who before her marriage was Miss Rose, daughter of William Randolph Hearst, and his mother. Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

KEEP YOUR UMBRELLA HANDY; MORE RAIN

Weather lions don't put away the trusty umbrella and rubbers, lay the old winter coat to rest, and get ready for the storm. The sky may clear by tomorrow noon, but still, until then, it will rain.

Only two degrees difference marked the highest and lowest temperatures in New England at 8 a. m. today. The thermometer was at 64 degrees in New York, 62 in Philadelphia, 60 in Baltimore, 58 in Washington, 56 in Boston, 54 in New Orleans and 52 in San Francisco.

BAKERS' STRIKE CAUSES SHORTAGE OF BREAD

Philadelphia, May 12.—As a result of the walkout yesterday of several hundred bakers, many small stores in the city found themselves without a supply of bread today. Union leaders claim that more than 100 men are on strike for shorter hours and higher wages. A 10 per cent increase in bread and a forty-eight-hour week are demanded.

SWISS OPPOSE HINDENBURG LIVING IN THEIR COUNTRY

Geneva, May 12.—The Swiss are raising serious questions to Paul von Hindenburg's request for permission to live in Switzerland when he returns to private life.

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Women Who Knit and Crochet will want to see these

New Columbia Yarns

The resumption of normal industries since the end of the war makes it possible for us to now secure a full line of these well-known yarns.

All New Colorings and Textures

Knit Sweaters will be worn extensively this Summer, and the new Filet designs in new colorings are remarkably attractive. Our display of new yarns will surely include the color you want.

Lustre Floss—A combination of silk and wool, a beautiful lustrous yarn, very effective for making the new Filet Sweaters—comes in all the Sport colorings. Large size ball. Each.....65c

Shetland Floss—A specially adapted yarn for Summer wear; this yarn is very much favored for making the popular Filet Sweater—comes in all the desirable colors. Large size ball. Each 55c

New Filet Sweater Patterns—Patterns designed exclusively for us. There are eighteen distinct styles. Each.....25c

Why not make a Sport Hat—sweater, bag and hat band to match?

Instructions in Knitting and Crocheting given free.

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Petition to the Secretary of War and Secretary of the Navy to send Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Home with Six Months' Pay

Sign this petition, get your friends to sign it, and forward it to the Boston American, 80 Summer St., Boston, Mass. In the Honorable Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War; To the Honorable Joseph Daniels, Secretary of the Navy

The undersigned respectfully urge you to return to their homes as soon as possible the soldiers, sailors and marines who have accomplished so brilliantly every object America had in the war.

We urge also that you obtain the necessary authority to pay these men their military wages for six months, or for some sufficient period after their discharge from the army until they can obtain useful and remunerative employment.

We urge this as an act of simple justice by a great nation to its heroes.

(Signed)

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Spring Brides

A Trousseau Takes Time

If yours is to be a June wedding it is now none too soon to make selections. Trousseau gatherers will delight in choosing from the many things we have assembled for bridal outfits.

The Bridal Gown

ONE VERY LOVELY MODEL is of Satin and Lace, with a cleverly draped skirt, side draped bodice and tulle sleeves. \$5.00.

A GOWN ENTIRELY OF WHITE GEORGETTE is exquisitely beaded with white beads. \$5.00.

A CREPE DE CHINE GOWN, beautifully beaded, is most charming and appropriate. \$5.00.

Many other beautiful white dresses for Brides, 29.50 and more

The Veil

BEAUTIFUL Bridal Veils of choice lace, tulle and chiffon, softly draped and sprayed with orange blossoms. 20.00 to 175.00 each

The Gloves

THERE are many kinds from which choose—though most popular are those of the finest French kid, 2 clasp P. K. or overcast sewn. 2.50 and 3.00

The Going-Away Costume

DEPENDS much on where one is going; one decides and plans accordingly. Just the right tailored suit, the travelling coat, the smart frock, the hat, the blouses, veils, gloves, shoes, hosiery, handkerchief bags and other necessary accessories will be found in the various sections of **This Great Store**, that is in complete readiness for the demands of all brides-to-be.

The Shoes

FOR the ceremony pretty white satin opera slippers, 5.50. Many styles of practical going away shoes in a variety of leathers, 8.50 to 16.00.

The Lingerie

TROUSSEAU SETS of crepe de chine or satin. No two sets alike, with exquisite trimming with choice laces, insets, puffs, tuckings and hand painting. 24.00 to 75.00.

The Going-Away Luggage

Fibre Covered Steamer Trunks—Heavy braced corners, brass lock and draw bolts, cloth lined, with tray; extra good value; 34 in.14.00

Fibre Dress Trunks—To match steamer, made on a 3-ply veneer box; heavy fibre binding, brass lock, dowels and end draw bolts, cloth lined, with tray; the best-trunk for the money in Boston; 34 in.17.00

English Kit Bags—In the finest qualities of leather, all lined lined, with and without straps; one of these bags will take the place of a small size trunk; we have a large assortment to select from. Prices.....30.00 to 50.00

Black Enamel Week-End Cases—With tray, heavy cowhide corners, strong brass lock, double straps going all around, fancy lined lining with shirred pockets in cover; 28 in.9.50

Varnished Split Case Cases—Light in weight yet very strong and durable, cretome lined with shirred pocket in cover, brass lock and end bolts and good strong leather handle; 24 inches.....6.00

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FIRST LIST OF UNPAID ALLOTMENT CHECKS

Many Boston Names Among Those Gone Astray Through Incorrect Addresses

As the result of a special arrangement between the Washington Headquarters of the Soldiers' Service Bureau of the War Department, the Boston American today publishes the first installment of names of relatives and friends of soldiers to whom voluntary allotment has been paid, and for whom retained checks are now being held in Washington awaiting correct and definite information as to present address of the individuals concerned.

Through the soldiers' Service Bureau of the Boston American, the Washington authorities invite readers to assist in the present campaign to trace and locate, if possible, individuals entitled to these undelivered checks.

In order to facilitate prompt and accurate information to the War Department, attention is directed to the blank coupon appearing on this page. This blank should be filled out and mailed directly in the Zone Finance Office, Enlisted Allotment Branch, No. 1225 New York Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., as indicated thereon.

There are approximately ten thousand checks of various amounts awaiting correct and definite information as to present address. The list published in the Boston American will be continued in New England only.

WASHINGTON AUTHORITIES URGENTLY REQUEST THAT OTHER NEWSPAPERS COPY THE LIST APPEARING HEREIN, IN ORDER TO FACILITATE IN THE DELIVERY OF THE CHECKS TO PERSONS ENTITLED THERETO.

Since the beginning of the war a small percentage of the checks sent out in payment of allotments by the zone finance office at Washington have been returned by the Post-Office Department, because of inaccurate or insufficient address, or through removals to other places and failure to notify the department of change of residence.

The zone finance office urgently requests that persons who are entitled to this voluntary allotment, take special

Boston American's Coupon for Allotment Checks

If your name appears in the accompanying list, cut out this coupon, fill in blanks, and mail to:
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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RECHARGE PAPERS BELONG-

ING TO PRIVATE CLARENCE A.

It related "house" in a measure

all out of proportion to its size

The daughter of the house had

chosen it for her own little apart-

ment. It was a sunny bay window

"Thanks to the National Biscuit

Company and the other packers of

good things," said the girl, "I re-

live well without a kitchen.

A thick, warm-toned rug invite

one to lounge on the floor, while the

big, fringed cushions scattered ab-

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BULLARD, PORT SLOUGH, HAVE

BEEN FOUND BY OLE ANDERSON.

NO. 35 CLIFFORD STREET, BOS-

TON. THE OWNER WILL READILY

COMMUNICATE WITH HIM AT

THIS ADDRESS.

B. W. G.—The 18th Company,

2d Motor Mechanics Regiment,

was last reported at Santa Fe,

not assigned for early convey.

L. E. R.—Company R, 11th

Ammunition Train, has been re-

leased for early return.

FOURTH REGIMENT SOLDIER'S SER-

VICE—The 22nd Infantry Machine

gun Battalion has been demobil-

ized.

which looked odd, no tempt-

ing would grace a yellow plate.

Or, "How would we like a to-

mato bouillon on a cold, blowy

day like this?" And a package of

N. B. C. Zwieback would be forth-

coming from the window cupboard,

while the tomato bouillon was nat-

urally kept over the alcohol lamp.

It was a brilliant morning

at the house's birthday

evening, my dears. Marla, please,

open this bottle of grape juice—

was the signal for a general merr-

ymaking.

cream cheese and olive

oil—let's put on this his-

torical costume, and for

the night, let's all

be being ad-

mitted.

1919 you wonder the little

circle of friends grew closer, day by

day, chatting in the sunny bay

window, sipping tea or coffee just

while the National Biscuit Delicacies?

Amusements.

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THIS is the anniversary of the first massacre of native Christians in 1900 by the Boxers in China. The Boxer movement spread rapidly and was not put down until a force representing the big powers asserted the supremacy of Western civilization by force of arms.

By VIRGINIA TERHUNE
VAN DE WATER

CHAPTER LXXVII.

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Soap and hot water.

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Be, smile at all dentists.

husband. "It wants winding!" she said.

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The Dark Star By Robert W. Chambers
THRILLING ROMANCE OF AN AMERICAN GIRL
One of the Latest and Most Heart
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"Indeed I do. What do you know about her? Nothing at all except that she is handsome, attractive, cultivated, amusing and apparently wealthy.

"You know her as a traveler, a

"Of course," she said simply.

"Why of course?"

"Mr. Neeland, the Princess Mischenska and her youthful protegee Miss Carow—"

"What!"

The girl smiled wearily.

"Really," she said, "you are such a boy to be mixed in with matters

patrons of music led the fine arts—as a devotee of literature, as a graceful hostess, and an amiable friend who gives promising young artists letters of introduction to publishers who are in a position to offer them employment.”

“That this girl should know so much about the Princess Mischance, and about his own relations

not pretend to account for it; he did not try; he sat silent, serious and surprised, looking into the pretty and almost smiling face of a girl who apparently had been released from some terribly endurable attempt to kill him—perhaps even a fourth attempt, and who now sat beside him talking in a soft and agreeable voice about matters con-

"He had heard."
 "Your comments are not silent,"
 observing in his changing expression
 the effects of what she had
 said to him. Then, with a smile:
 "Ask me whatever questions you
 desire to ask, Mr. Neeland, I shall
 do my best to answer them."
 "Very well," he said bluntly;
 "how do you happen to know so
 much about me?"
 He said nothing.
 "And—I like you, Mr. Neeland."

"I know something about the friends of the Princess Mstischka. I have to."

"Did you know who I was there in the house at Brookhollow?"

"No."

"When, then?"

"When you yourself told me your name I recognized it."

"I surprised you by interrupting you in Brookhollow?"

The avowal in that soft, prettily modulated voice, lost none of its charm and surprise because the voice was a trifle tremulous, and the girl's face was tinted with a delicate color.

"I like to believe what you say, Echeherazade," he said pleasantly.

"Somehow or other I never did think you hated me personally—except once—"

"Yes," he expected no interruption?"

"None."

"How did you happen to go there?"

"Where did you ever hear of the olive wood box?"

"I had advances by cable from London—directions to go to Brookhollow and secure the box."

"Then somebody must be watching the Princess Mistchenka."

She flushed, and he was silent, remembering her humiliation in the Brookhollow house.

"I don't know," she said in a colder tone, "why I should feel at all friendly toward you, Mr. Nesland, except that you are personally conspicuous, and you have shown yourself generous and unselfish."

"I am tempted to be otherwise."

To Be Continued

For Constipation! Physic Purge or Laxative?

Purgatives and cathartics are drastic and usually cause a reaction. Saline waters are rapid in action but do no more than empty the bowels.

Just as certain an effect, and certainly a much more pleasant one, can be obtained by the use of a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin sold by druggists under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It acts gently, without griping. It is an especially ideal medicine for children, women, old people and others who find purges too powerful.

Only teaspoonful is required, and by morning the movement is free and complete. A bottle in the house is insurance for the whole family against constipation, indigestion, headaches, flatulency and other digestive ills.

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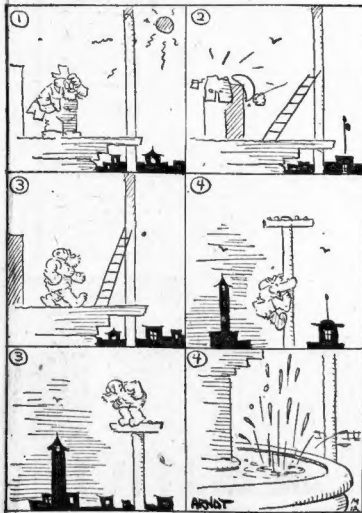
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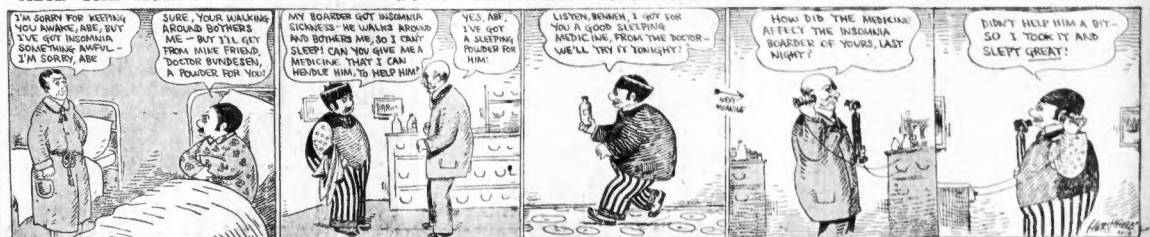
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Pop Is Running Wild These Days



Stocks Strong and Active in New York at Noon

TEXAS STOCKS THE WEAKEST ISSUE

Off Nine Points at Its Lowest; Coppers and Steels Higher

By W. H. ROSS, Financial Editor.

Stocks were strong in New York at noon although a little better than the high level of the morning. The market had a good opening and after 3:30 p.m. a little under selling pressure rallied for a broad advance. Coppers and steels became strong groups. A number of oil weakened. Texas Co. and Mexican Petroleum showing the largest losses. At its lowest the former was off nine points. Industrial Alcohol was strong, being up over two points at its highest. U. S. Food Products showed nearly three points. Motors did not retain their strength as a class, advancing higher, but reaching Maxwell and Chrysler were exceptions, advancing three points and holding gains.

U. S. Steel, said at 10:15, up 1/2 at its highest, and steels were strong as a group. This was true also of the American advanced more than two points. Railroads were rather as a class, especially Southern Pacific. The market was very active, first hour transactions totaling more than 470,000 shares.

Issues to sell at record high prices included General Motors, Chrysler, Associated Dry Goods and American Lumber. The latter was high for the year over 100 points. Southern Pacific, California Petroleum, Marine common and Southern Railway.

LARGEST GAINS AT NOON. The largest gains at noon included U. S. Steel, 1/2 at 100 1/2; Anaconda, 1/2 at 45; American Lumber, 1/2 at 27 1/2; U. S. Steel, 1/2 at 100 1/2; Anaconda, 1/2 at 45; American Lumber, 1/2 at 27 1/2.

MARKET HAD FIRM START. Most speculative leaders made small gains at the opening and the market time was firm. Issues advancing the most were those that had been under selling pressure in the morning.

DEAR ARGUMENTS ARE OLD. But such views have been presented for weeks without effect, and the business community is proceeding slowly a general improvement is admitted. Great industrial activity is expected to be maintained as much as possible as peace is reached.

COTTON PRICES LOWER AT MARKET OPENING. New York, May 12.—Cotton futures were lower at the opening of the cotton market today, and prices yielded 10 to 15 points in face of unfavorable weather in the Southern States and the fact that the present and prospective cotton crop is expected to be a bumper one.

Chicago Grain Market. Chicago, May 12.—Wheat opened at 2 1/2, higher, but was underlain by higher prices for corn and soybeans. The market was active, with a good deal of trading in the futures.

New York Sub-Treasury Gain. New York, May 12.—The sub-treasury gain was \$100,000 from the sale of \$1,000,000 of U. S. bonds.

Nipissing Tonopah Divide. The regular action developed in the tonopah situation during the past few days will have a vital bearing on the above named stock. Investors and speculators on the lookout for quick market turns should be in a class today with the situation.

WE HAVE PREPARED a special opinion relating to the above named companies which will be sent free upon request.

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U. S. SMELTING

U. S. Smelting was the strongest stock in the Boston market, showing a gain of 1/2 point at noon.

RAIL ADMINISTRATION

RAIL ADMINISTRATION TO TAKE WARE DEPT. STEEL. The railroads are expected to take over the steel industry.

EUROPE NEEDS AMERICAN SILVER FOR COINAGE

Europe needs American silver for coinage. The demand for silver is expected to be very large.

Wool Sale Prices

Wool sale prices are expected to be high. The market is expected to be very active.

Dividend Declarations

Dividend declarations are expected to be high. The market is expected to be very active.

BOOT AND SHOE BUYERS IN BOSTON

Boot and shoe buyers in Boston are expected to be very active. The market is expected to be very active.

LIBERTY BONDS DRIVE STARTS NEXT WEEK

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The Victory Loan went over the top. One week from today the Salvation Army will have raised \$3,000,000 in New England. Boston's quota is \$900,000.

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GOOD BUSINESS AHEAD SAYS U. S. STEEL CHIEF

When Judge Gray, chairman of the U. S. Steel Corporation directors, was asked if there is an open market for steel products, he said: "There has at all times been an open market. An opinion to the contrary is a misconception of the facts. There has been no effort to establish fixed prices. The fact that a seller cannot or will not reduce his selling price, or that a purchaser cannot and will not pay the price asked, does not modify the fact that the market is open."

There is a good business ahead. It is for the best interest of the whole country, producer and consumer, employer and employee, and the general public to take advantage of the extraordinary resources of the United States by purchasing for great quantities and at low prices.

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Making Farmers Out of Soldiers

If the Soldiers Want Farms Secretary Lane Has a Plan for Making Waste Lands Useful
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Secretary Lane, in an address before the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, made a strong appeal for the support of his bill for the reclamation of the desert and swamp lands of this country by turning them over to returning soldiers, financed with Government money, while they are building homes and making the lands productive.

According to the Secretary's figures there are in the United States 215,000,000 acres of unused lands. Forty million acres of this land is along the Gulf coast, fertile and of great agricultural possibilities.

The total cultivated area of Spain is only 41,000,000 acres and the country has a population of 21,000,000 people.

Argentina, the garden spot of South America, has only 44,000,000 acres under cultivation.

The great farms of Illinois, the richest in the country, with a value of \$4,000,000,000, occupy only 32,000,000 acres.

The Secretary's plan is, as far as the soldiers get back, to say to them, "Go home. See the folks. Tell them all about what you did and saw over there, and then go to the unclaimed lands and make yourself a home. The Government will pay you while you are doing it, and finance your necessary investments, and you can have forty years to pay Uncle Sam back."

This is not so generous as the terms that Canada is offering her boys nor as much of an inducement as Australia is making for soldiers to turn to farming; but, despite the lesser attraction, there are on file at the Department of the Interior 37,000 letters from American soldiers asking permission to settle on these lands and make homes.

In Canada the demand is so great that it is expected all the available Government lands will be exhausted and that the seizure and division of private lands will be required if all applicants are to be placed.

The possibilities of the Secretary's plan are enormous. If there were enough American young men who would enthusiastically take up the cultivation of 215,000,000 acres of land, they could be the greatest influence in the life of this country.

Cultivated scientifically and intensively this waste land would provide enough food for every man, woman and child in the country.

And the man who feeds America is the man who has the real power.

If you don't think so talk with somebody from North Dakota and ask him who is the boss in that State.

Farming used to be looked upon as a sort of prison life with an indeterminate sentence.

It isn't that any more.

A man with a good farm paid for is the most independent of Americans. He is the freest of the free.

He is no longer the victim of time nor distance.

The telephone was the first link between the farm and town. By it the farmer could get the news briefly.

Then came the Rural Post, and the news was promptly and more fully brought to the tin box at the roadside.

Then the automobile outdid both.

It allowed the farmer to get to town quickly, easily and cheaply, and that ended any sense of imprisonment.

Secretary Lane's plan to vitalize the great waste places of the country ought to have the widest publicity, but the determining factor in its success is the attitude of the returning soldiers.

Do We Eat With Our Eyes?

A Very Interesting Question
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Dr. Harvey Wiley in an article in this month's Good Housekeeping asks his readers, "Do we eat with our eyes?" and then goes on to give a most entertaining answer to his question.

We all remember the boy who broke up the German band by sucking a lemon in front of the players.

That was proof that musicians can eat lemons with their eyes. Peppin was for a long time produced by starving pigs until they were voraciously hungry and then displaying tempting food out of their reach.

The pigs actually ate with their eyes, secreting great quantities of digestive fluids rich in peppin which was gathered from their mouths.

The habit of eating with the eyes is a well-recognized one. It is the reason why a red apple always sells better than a green one; why the farmer puts coloring in butter; why we prefer perfectly white flour to that which has the natural tint of the wheat.

Luther Burbank recognizes the necessity of appealing to the eye with his new fruits and vegetables and endeavors to breed an attractive color along with his new creations.

But eating with your eyes leads us into great dangers. Home foods are made attractive to the sight at the expense of their value to the body.

Dr. Wiley has been a great power in the correcting of these abuses and the pure food laws which he was largely instrumental in having passed forbid many of the evils of artificially colored products.

Dr. Wiley tells of some of the things which it is still necessary to watch for and avoid.

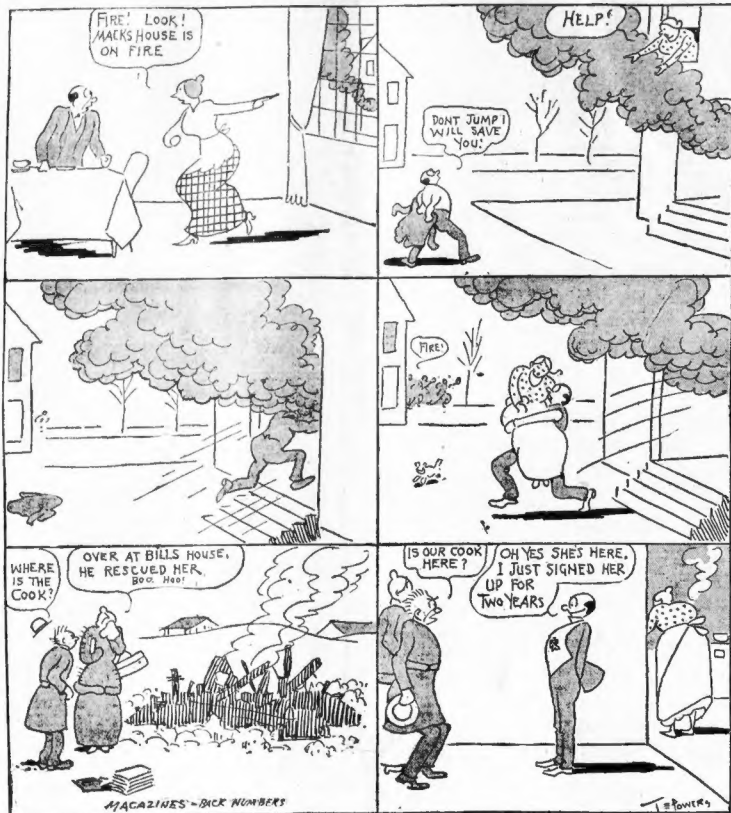
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Losers Weepers, Finders Keepers

By T. E. Powers

Everything's Fair in the Suburbs



Patter and Chatter

By William F. Kirk

A SPRING SONNET

(To a Spring Bonnet)

I SAW you in a car the other day,
While I was riding down the avenue.
You were a mass of bloom of every hue
And ribbons, a few blushing array.
How much you cost I really cannot say,
But some one paid a pretty price for you,
And, more than likely, paid it gladly, too,
For your fair owner's face was sweet as May.

"I SEEN," she said, "where Italy got peevish,
And told them other nations she would go,
Because she kinda thinks she ain't received
Some kind of ultimatum—I don't know."
O fair Spring bonnet, do you not feel blue
When thus your gentle owner talks through you?



Principle of Maternity Benefits Indorsed by General Edwards

The principle of maternity benefits as a general health measure is indorsed by Major-General Clarence R. Edwards, commanding the Northeastern Department and former Commander of the Yankee Division.

This indorsement is conveyed in a letter from General Edwards to Miss Edna Lawrence Spencer of Cambridge, who drafted the so-called "Mothers' bill" now before the Legislature. This bill calls for an appropriation of \$50,000 to provide obstetrical care for mothers unable to secure it for themselves.

Miss Spencer read General Edwards' letter at a hearing on the bill before the Senate Ways and Means Committee, as follows:

My Dear Miss Spencer:

It gives me pleasure to indorse the general principles of maternity benefits as a measure for preserving the health of our people. There has been a crying need for many years for some action in these lines to check the appalling increase of maternal mortality and infant death rate of this country.

It is well known that we are behind the older nations in caring for our unborn generations, and we should delay no longer in this most important work. There will never come a time when there will not be grave questions of expenses to be met by any State or nation, and, therefore, questions of delay now because a question of dollars and cents arises.

The staunch support and loyalty of our women in this war have won the undying admiration of soldiers, and it seems an especially dreadful thing to deny to these women at the time of their greatest need the care which the State should justly offer to its citizens.

Specifically, I am not familiar with the details of the bill to protect mothers and children during the maternity period, but I heartily indorse the general principles involved.

Yours Sincerely,
C. R. EDWARDS

Headquarters Northeastern Department.

THE TOWN GOSSIP

By K. C. B.

ONE OF the rewards.
THAT SOMETIMES comes.
TO COLUMN conductors.
IS THAT once in a while.
SOME WELL-MEANING friend.
WILL NAME a dog.
OR PERHAPS a calf.
OR MAYBE a cat.
AND GIVE it the name.
OF the column conductor.
IT'S HAPPENED to me.
AND RIGHT at this moment.
AWAY OUT in the West.
THERE ARE two or three cats.
OF THE male persuasion.
AND A growing calf.
AND THREE good dogs.
THAT BEAR my name.
AND I'M proud as can be.
AND I DON'T even know.
IF THEY carry the name.
IN A dignified way.
AS TO like them to do.
BUT ENOUGH'S enough.
AND I'M worried today.
BECAUSE a friend of mine.
HAS SENT me word.
FROM THE Golden West.
THAT A canning company.
IS CANNING cats.
CLOSE BY the place.
WHERE I used to live.
AND RIGHT on the label.
IN BIG RED letters.
THEY'VE PRINTED the name.
"THE K. C. B. Cat."
AND THEY advertise.
THAT THE K. C. B. Cat.
IS THE hard-shelled sort.
WITH THE fat little neck.
AND THEY further say.

EVERY BIT of the sand.
HAS BEEN well washed out.
AND THE friend who writes.
TO TELL me of this.
SAYS HE'S tried the clams.
JUST BECAUSE he knows me.
AND THEY'RE "tougher'n trips."
FOR I'VE had his letter.
AND I'VE tried to be proud.
OF THIS new distinction.
THAT HAS come to me.
AND THEN I recall.
WHAT A downy affair.
A CLAM really is.
AND HOW cold it is.
AND IT has no sense.
AND JUST lays around.
IN A mess of mud.
AND IT makes me sick.
AND WHOEVER it is.
THAT PICKED my name.
THAT JUST for one happy moment.
HAD A lot of nerve.
AND MY wife says.
THAT SHE can't understand.
HOW THEY thought of me.
WHEN THEY were looking around.
FOR SOME sort of a name.
THAT WOULD fit a canned cat.

NOSTALGIA COMMON TO ALL AT TIMES

By Winifred Black

WELL, Telephone Tim, who are you, anyway? A disembodied spirit, or what?

Every once in a while when things are stupid, or I am blue, and the world seems rather a dreary old place, here comes a letter from you, and all at once the sun shines and the birds sing and all the little green shoots in the garden begin to grow and pretend that Spring is really here—at last.

I wonder what you look like and who you can be. You write an awfully nice letter—no one could read one of them and not help liking you—but how do you get so much time and energy to spend on a perfect stranger?

Don't you ever show your real heart to the people you really know—at all? Don't you ever say what you think anywhere—except on paper?

Somewhere I have a notion that the people who live in the house with you don't know you at all.

Worst Sort of Sickness

And there you are, a real man with a real heart and a real soul, just dying to talk to somebody about the way the wind used to blow in the telephone wires when you were young and had a head full of dreams and a heart full of hope.

Homesick—well, you certainly know something about that. It's just about the worst kind of sickness there is, isn't it?

And it doesn't make a bit of difference where you are or where you came from or how much better off you seem to be at the present time than you were back in the place your heart aches for—does it?

I've sat in the smartest cafe in Paris with the place ablaze with lights, and crowded with gay uniforms from every corner of the globe, and have been homesick for a little old church steeple back home—just because a girl with a painted face and dyed hair sang something with a refrain that sounded like "Seein' Nellie Home."

The lights were out, uniforms faded and there was, back again in the little home town with youth in its heart and the fragrance of the lilacs drifting in at the window and every pulse in my body keeping time to the queer little old-fashioned song.

Homesick—I've gone back to the old town and been homesick, too. I've sat in a stiff chair in a stiff parlour and been so homesick for flowers and music and bright lights and laughter that I had all I could do not to pack my trunk and fly back to the big town that's the core of my heart's beating.

Invite the Homesick

Yours homesick, too, Telephone Tim; don't deny it. What are you homesick for—a home, or just people, or a wide sweep of the Western sky, or the clean, prim beauty of the New England hills?

Homesick—there's a little stretch of meadowland I know that's blue with fragrant violets this very minute and yellow with cowslips and golden with buttercups, and there's a little wobbly-kneed calf leaning over the fence, lifting its head and sniffing the air in the fields the meadowland is singing.

Oh, heart of mine, to be there again with one I loved so dear, dear—just for one happy moment!

Never mind, Telephone Tim, I guess we all get homesick once in a while, and your letter gave me a chance to cry a little—and now I feel better.

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"A STRANGE BIRD" BY HENRY CLIVE

Henry Clive has discovered "a strange bird." It is more gorgeous than the peacock, more beautiful than the bird of paradise.

It is the female of the species—and its name is "Woman!" What bird was ever so rare, so full of plumage, as this bird, full of color, grace, which have found the cover of the Magazine Section for the past several numbers, have proved a deservedly popular feature.

Why they can't narrow general money, if city dwellers had brains enough to unite as a birding instead of a birding party, they also might have considerable success.

Yesterday was Mother's Day. Did you notice it? It was the usual day for the usual Mother's Day. It is worth while for politicians to take care of them. That is why they can't narrow general money, if city dwellers had brains enough to unite as a birding instead of a birding party, they also might have considerable success.

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Today

Liberty, How Many Kinds? Jews, Chinese, Koreans Are They Different? Mother's Day. Notice It?

By Arthur Brisbane

"What is truth?" said Jesus Platte, and would not wait for an answer.

"Wherever we see the cause of liberty threatened, we are ready to cast our lot with those whose liberty is threatened," said Woodrow Wilson to the French Academy of Moral and Political Sciences.

What is liberty? Does it depend on geography, color, race, religion, the power of the oppressor or his friendly attitude toward us?

The Irish are clamoring for liberty. They want to be the land on which they were born, and that belonged to them before such a thing as an English King or Parliament existed. In their demand for liberty they value cause, eminently respectable Englishmen get it would interfere with their plans?

While Mr. Wilson was speaking, Abraham Cahan, well-known citizen of New York, was calling to his newspaper, the Jewish Forward, "Representatives of the Armenian Army of Occupation are organizing a murder of all Jews in Bessarabia."

The Rumanian attack on the Jews, inciting to murder, has been an old-fashioned ring. It includes this: "The Jews have desecrated the Holy Cross and the Christian religion and you must make them atone with their blood. Suppress them at once."

You might call that an attack on the liberty of Jews. What is to be done about that? Any? And what about poor old China, now denouncing Japan as an "atavistic Prussia?"

The United States against Japan has done to China exactly what Prussia did to France in 1870. Japan has cut off a great slice of Chinese territory with millions of Chinese people that don't want to be Japanese. What about their liberty?

And what about Korea's ancient kingdom, where Japan drew her early civilization, such as it was, and now enslaved by Japan? Is liberty one thing in Japan, another in Korea?

At this moment, while we talk world peace, there are sixteen different wars raging, and others threatened. The New York Times lists the sixteen wars. They are all called wars for liberty. It is a poor time to talk generous, general platitudes.

Liberty, as usual, is for those strong enough to get it, or cunning enough to make friends that will confer it. If we had been fighting England this time, as Germany, Ireland would have been free and the English fleet destroyed. We were fighting Germany, so Alsace and Lorraine were freed. Justice is done there.

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